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**Notice of Availability of Draft Supplemental EA/EIR for
Folsom Dam Modification Project (Project)**

Project Location: The Project is located near Folsom, California within portions of Placer, El Dorado, and Sacramento Counties, in the area surrounding Folsom Lake, and in the vicinity of the Folsom Dam facility and its associated dikes.

Project Description: As part of the Folsom Dam Modification Project - Water Control Manual Update (WCMU), the Central Valley Flood Protection Board, the Sacramento Area Flood Control Agency, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), and the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation propose to update the Folsom Dam Water Control Manual. Operational modifications associated with WCMU are proposed to provide increased flood damage protection and increased operational flexibility at the Folsom Facility. These modifications add flood damage reduction benefits, while still safely allowing passage of the Probable Maximum Flood.

Following the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), a Supplemental Environmental Assessment /Environmental Impact Report (SEA/EIR) has been prepared. The results of the SEA/EIR indicate that most of the potential adverse effects that could result from implementation of the proposed alternative would either be short term or would either be negligible to no effect, less than significant, and potentially beneficial. However, analysis indicates potential significant and unavoidable effects on cultural resources could occur.

The Draft SEIS/EIR also provides the opportunity for public and agency involvement and comment. During the 45-day public review period, public workshops will be held to discuss the proposed project and encourage public questions and comments on the project. The public workshop dates, times, and locations are:

June 14, 2017 at 3:00pm to 4:30pm at the Sacramento City Library 828 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

June 15, 2017 at 6:00pm to 7:30pm at Folsom Community Center, 52 Natoma Street, Folsom, CA 95630

Comments on the Draft SEA/EIR will be accepted from June 7, 2017 to July 21 2017. Written comments may be submitted to: Attn: David Martasian, Department of Water Resources, 3464 El Camino Avenue Room 150 Sacramento, CA 95821 or email: David.Martasian@water.ca.gov; or Attn: Ms. Natalie McNair, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Sacramento District, 1325 J Street, Sacramento, California 95814 or email: Natalie.N.McNair@usace.army.mil.

The Draft SEA/EIR is available at the: Sacramento Public Library - 828 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814; Folsom Public Library - 411 Stafford Street, Folsom CA 95630; Orangevale Library - 8820 Greenback Lane, Orangevale, CA 95662; El Dorado County Library 345 Fair Ln, Placerville, CA 95667; Roseville Library - 225 Taylor St., Roseville, CA 95678; and electronically at the USACE website <http://www.spk.usace.army.mil/Missions/Civil-Works/Folsom-Water-Control-Manual-Update/>; or the Central Valley Flood Protection Board website <http://www.cvfpb.ca.gov>. Copies of the Draft SEA/EIR are also available upon request.